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The Order of Exercises

137th General Commencement
Alerus Center
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Ceremony for Doctoral & Master's Degrees
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Pre-Ceremony Concert
Roxanne Gessler, Pianist

Processional
"Pomp and Circumstance" — *Edward Elgar*
Please stand during the Processional.

"America the Beautiful" — *Samuel Ward*
Ella Henry, Soloist

Greetings from the State Board of Higher Education
Maxwell Eriksrud, SBHE Student Member

Alumni Greetings
Mike Mannausau
UND Alumni Association & Foundation

Commencement Speaker
Jim Kleinsasser
Speaker information found on page 19

Conferral of Doctoral & Master's Degrees

"Alma Mater" — *Franz Joseph Haydn*
The Assemblage
Led by soloist, Ella Henry
Please stand

Hail to thee, O Alma Mater!
Hail to thee with heart and tongue!
Pride we feel and love yet greater
While we raise our grateful song.
Home of lofty thought and learning,
Beacon o'er our western land,
Shrine whence still the ever-burning
Torch is passed from hand to hand.

Recessional
Roxanne Gessler, Pianist

Ceremony for Undergraduate Degrees
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Pre-Ceremony Concert
University of North Dakota Wind Ensemble
James Popejoy, Conductor

Processional
"Pomp and Circumstance" — *Edward Elgar*
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"America the Beautiful" — *Samuel Ward*
Ella Henry, Soloist

Greetings from the State Board of Higher Education
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Conferral of Honorary Degrees
Noren Pan
Honorary Degree information found on pages 20

Alumni Greetings
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Conferral of Undergraduate Degrees

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Recessional
University of North Dakota Wind Ensemble
James Popejoy, Conductor
"March Recessional" - Nino Marcelli

Academic Pageantry

The pageantry of American colleges and universities, including such ceremonies as commencement, has been inherited from the medieval universities of the 11th and 12th centuries. Academic life as it is known today began in the Middle Ages, first in the church and then in the guilds. The teaching guild was the Guild of the Master of Arts, in which the Bachelor was the apprentice of the Master and the dress was the outward sign of privilege and responsibility.

The ceremony you will witness today will be less formal than would have been the case even a few decades ago. Still, many traditions have been continued. To maintain continuity with the past, University of North Dakota faculty, the stage officials and the degree candidates will wear academic dress.

Principal features of academic garb are the gown, cap and hood. Early it became necessary for universities to set rules to preserve the dignity and meaning of academic dress. Both Cambridge and Oxford since the 15th century have made academic dress a matter of university control even to its minor details, and have repeatedly published revised regulations. American universities agreed on a definite system in 1895.

Academic Dress

The Gown

The flowing gown comes from the 12th century. While it originally may have been worn as protection against the chill of unheated buildings, it has today become symbolic of the democracy of scholarship, for it covers any trappings of rank or social standing underneath. It is black for all degrees, with pointed sleeves for the bachelor's degree recipient, long closed sleeves with a slit at the arm or wrist for the master's degree, or full bell double sleeves for the doctoral degree. Bachelor's and master's degree gowns have no trimming. For the doctoral degree, the gown is faced down the front with velvet and has three bars of velvet across the sleeves in the color distinctive of the faculty or discipline to which the degree pertains.

The Cap

The academic cap is a sign of freedom of scholarship, and of the responsibility and dignity with which scholarship endows the wearer. Ancient poetry records the cap of scholarship as square to symbolize the book. The color of the tassel denotes the discipline. At the University of North Dakota, the tassel colors associated with academic divisions are: **white**, College of Arts & Sciences; **drab** (subdued orange), Nistler College of Business & Public Administration; **black and white**, John D. Odegard School of Aerospace Sciences; **light blue**, College of Education & Human Development; **orange**, School of Engineering & Mines; **purple**, School of Law; **green**, School of Medicine; **apricot**, College of Nursing; **black**, School of Graduate Studies & Professional Disciplines. For undergraduate students, the tassels hang on the right side of the cap until they receive their degrees, at which time the tassel is moved to the left. For master's and doctoral students, the tassel hangs on the left side of the cap and is not moved.

The Hood

The hood is trimmed with one or more chevrons of a secondary color on the ground of the primary color of the college. The color of the facing of the hood denotes the discipline represented by the degree; the color of the lining designates the university or college which granted the degree. The official colors of the University of North Dakota, selected by the student body in preparation for the institution's first commencement in 1889, are the pink and green of the prairie rose.

Ceremonial Objects

The Mace

The mace was initially modeled after a 12th century implement of war. In earlier days, the mace, or heavy staff, was borne by or carried before a magistrate or other dignitary as an ensign of authority. A mace is placed as the symbol of royal authority on the treasury table in the British House of Commons at the opening of each session and is removed at its close. In the U.S. House or Representatives, it is a rather plain staff mounted in a marble pedestal at the right hand of the Speaker. The mace of the University of North Dakota symbolizes authority to carry out its mission, especially the granting of degrees. Made from the oak of the University's first building, "Old Main," the mace is carried by a marshal during academic processions and is placed at a prominent spot on the stage during commencement.

The Medallion

A medallion or seal of office worn by the head of an educational institution is a practice that also dates to the Middle Ages. In those times, a seal was used to mark documents as official. Possession of the seal was so important that it was usually worn around the neck for safekeeping. The wearing of the seal eventually became a symbol of authority. One side of the medallion worn by the president bears an engraving of the University's official seal and the names of all former presidents are included on the chain of office.

The Charter

The University of North Dakota was founded six years before North Dakota became a state. The original, handwritten charter, enacted in 1883 by the Dakota Territorial Assembly, is preserved in UND's archives. One facsimile is displayed in the President's Office and another is used at commencements and other special occasions.

The University Flag

The University flag features the UND flame logo set on a white background. The flag is used at ceremonial events and is carried by the honorary faculty flag marshal to lead the commencement procession. The flag is displayed on the stage during the commencement ceremony along with the mace and charter.

The Awarding of Degrees

The awarding of degrees and academic distinctions listed in this program is contingent upon successful completion of the various program requirements. Commencement ceremonies at UND are planned through Ceremonies & University Events in the Division of Marketing & Communications.

Ceremony for Doctoral & Master's Degrees
Saturday, May 17 — 9 a.m.

School of Graduate Studies: Doctoral Degrees
Soojung Kim, Dean

Aerospace Sciences
Robert Kraus, Dean

Doctor of Philosophy

Travis M. Nelson
Devils Lake, ND
Aerospace Sciences
Dissertation: Evaluating Human Factors in Isolation and Confinement During Analog Spaceflight: A Decadal Survey Assessing ILMAH Crew Psychology
Advisor: Keith Crisman

Arts & Sciences
Brad Rundquist, Dean

Doctor of Philosophy

Ibrahim Suliman Bin Jaman
Springfield Gardens, NY
Communication
Dissertation: Applying the 4D Model of the Country Image to Explore the Relationship Between Saudi Arabia's Sport Diplomacy and its Perceived Image Among American Adults
Advisor: Pamela Kalbfleisch

Laura Marie DiMattia
Hammond, LA
Communication
Dissertation: Beyond the Game: Designing an NIL First-Year Seminar Through Thematic Analysis of Division I Student-Athletes' Perspectives
Advisor: Joonghwa lee

Erin May Mccann
Rockwall, TX
Communication
Dissertation: From Emily to Loralei to Rory: A Qualitative Textual Analysis of Scripts from Gilmore Girls for Real-World Application
Advisor: Pamela Kalbfleisch

Hannah Scheffer-Wentz
Boone Grove, IN
Communication
Dissertation: Negotiating Gender: A Qualitative Analysis of Trans-Parasocial Relationships with Gen Z Social Media Users
Advisor: Joonghwa Lee

Education & Human Development
Shelbie Witte, Dean

Doctor of Education

Keon Andre Cheong
Houston, TX
Educational Practice & Leadership
Dissertation: Realizing the Role of Interdisciplinary Practices in Psycho-Educational Assessment for Learners with Special Education Needs/Disabilities in Guyana
Advisor: Shannon Grave

Nicole Marie Maier Derenne
Grand Forks, ND
Educational Practice & Leadership
Dissertation: Learning to Teach Digital Literacy: Faculty as Learners
Advisor: Radomir Mitic

Constance Faith McIver
Lexington, NC
Educational Practice & Leadership
Dissertation: Creating Equitable Employment Practices for Adjunct Faculty: Perceptions of Academic Administrators at Public Institutions in a Great Plains State
Advisor: Shannon Grave

Betty J. McVay
Hanford, CA
Educational Practice & Leadership
Dissertation: White Paper for Faculty Professional Development in Establishing, Addressing, and Informing, To Promote Mental Wellness for Health Career Students
Advisor: Jocelyn Gutierrez

Gavin Michael Nadeau
Belcourt, ND
Educational Practice & Leadership
Dissertation: Why Can't We Just Be: Native American College Student Sense of Belonging at the University of North Dakota
Advisor: Deborah Worley

Angela Novak
East Grand Forks, MN
Educational Practice & Leadership
Dissertation: When FOMO Meets The Keg: A Descriptive Case Study of Binge Drinking in First-Year College Students at the University of North Dakota
Advisor: Jocelyn Gutierrez

School of Graduate Studies: Doctoral Degrees

Doctor of Education, *continued*

Melissa Liann Osborne
Brainerd, MN
Educational Practice & Leadership
Dissertation: Teacher Skills Needed for Effective Participation in Multi-Tiered Systems of Support (MTSS):A State Framework Analysis
Advisor: Laura Link

Ye Pyae Thu
Bang Na, Bangkok
Educational Practice & Leadership
Dissertation: Designing Professional Development in Pedagogy and Technology: A Phenomenological Study of Faculty Members from Myanmar Universities
Advisor: Radomir Mitic

Taylor Lee Topinka
Wells, MN
Educational Practice & Leadership
Dissertation: Addressing the Impact of Unlicensed and Under-Licensed Teachers in PK-12 Schools: How School Administrators Offer Support
Advisor: Jared Schlenker

Doctor of Philosophy

Allyssa Jean Baumbach
Grand Forks, ND
Educational Foundations & Research
Dissertation: Gender and Family Differences in Faculty Motivation
Advisor: Robert Stupnisky

Bella Hettich
Colorado Springs, CO
Education, Health, & Behavior Studies
Dissertation: Belongingness and Science Identity of Underrepresented Students in Aerospace Sciences
Advisor: Steven LeMire

Dedan Makongoro Kusaga
Grand Forks, ND
Education, Health, & Behavior Studies
Dissertation: The Role of Student Loan Debt on Delayed Homeownership Among Black American College Graduates
Advisor: Anthony Perry

Orlando St. Aubin Worges
East Grand Forks, MN
Teaching & Leadership
Dissertation: Investigating Teacher Leadership: A Phenomenological Study on Improving Teacher Efficacy through Peer Coaching and Mentorship
Advisor: Julie Robinson

Engineering & Mines
Ryan Adams, Dean

Doctor of Philosophy

Md Saifuddin Ahmed Atique
San Pedro, CA
Mechanical Engineering
Dissertation: Aeroelasticity Investigation of Biplane Wind Turbine Blade
Advisor: Cai Xia Yang

Benu Bansal
Grand Forks, ND
Biomedical Engineering
Dissertation: A Computational and Experimental Framework for Investigating Mitochondrial Dysfunction In Neuroinflammation and Neurodegeneration
Advisor: Junguk Hur

Amrita Das
Grand Forks, ND
Civil Engineering
Dissertation: Autonomous Corrosion Detection in Steel Structures Using Different Non-Contact Techniques
Advisor: Sattar Dorafshan

Matt Dunlevy
Grand Forks, ND
Energy Engineering
Dissertation: Remote Sensing-Based Approaches for 3D Building Geometry and Thermal Loss Detection in Urban Energy Efficiency Applications
Advisor: Olusegun Stanley Tomomewo

Solomon Evro
Calgary, AB
Energy Engineering
Dissertation: Enhancing Green Hydrogen Integration in Distributed Energy Systems
Advisor: Olusegun Stanley Tomomewo

Emmanuel Gyimah
Socorro, NM
Energy Engineering
Dissertation: Exploring Geothermal Energy Development in the Deep Reservoirs of the Williston Basin: An Integrated Analysis using Empirical, Probabilistic, Numerical Simulation and Machine Learning Techniques
Advisor: Olusegun Stanley Tomomewo

Jawad Ali Khan
Grand Forks, ND
Petroleum Engineering
Dissertation: Thermally Induced Evolution of the Cement Microannulus in CO2 Injection Wells
Advisor: Nejma Djabelkhir

Fazilatun Nessa Mahmood
Grand Forks, ND
Geology
Dissertation: Geochemical and Sedimentological Investigations of the Williston Basin for CO2 Storage Applications
Advisor: Sven Egenhoff

Njiru Joseph Mwaura
Grand Forks, ND
Civil Engineering
Dissertation: Seismic Design and Ductility Evaluation of Concrete-Filled Thin-Walled- Steel Tubular Columns Modeling Bridge Piers
Advisor: Iraj Mamaghani

Tomiwa Isaac Oguntade
Austin, TX
Petroleum Engineering
Dissertation: Investigation Of Surfactant-Enhanced Oil Recovery In High Salinity And High Temperature (HSHT) Reservoir Conditions: A Case Study In The Bakken Formation
Advisor: Adesina Samson Fadairo

Emovigho Neil Omonigho
Abu Dhabi, United Arab Emirates
Energy Engineering
Dissertation: Enhanced 4D Seismic Quantification of CO2 Storage in a Saline Aquifer for Decarbonization: Advanced Rock Physics Modeling and Inversion Insights from the Sleipner Storage Complex
Advisor: Olusegun Stanley Tomomewo

Duncan Rioba Oteki
Grand Forks, ND
Civil Engineering
Dissertation: Evaluating the Engineering Properties of Waste Modified Asphalt Binders and Mixtures as Inputs for the Mechanistic-Empirical Pavement Design
Advisor: Daba Gedafa

Hamid Reza Rashidi Araghi
Bloomfield, CT
Petroleum Engineering
Dissertation: Optimizing Produced Water Management in the Oil and Gas Industry: Challenges and Solutions in the Bakken Formation, Williston Basin, ND
Advisor: Kegang Ling

John Ruprecht
Saint Peter, MN
Energy Engineering
Dissertation: Comparative Study of Robotic and Manual Welding for Energy Consumption and Efficiency in a High Mix, Low Volume Manufacturing Environment
Advisor: Michael Mann

Rasaki Olaide Salami
Victoria Island, LA
Petroleum Engineering
Dissertation: Integrating Seismic Attributes and Machine Learning for Accurate 3D Petrophysical and Geomechanical Modeling in Shale Plays
Advisor: Kegang Ling

Billel Sennaoui
Grand Forks, ND
Petroleum Engineering
Dissertation: Experimental and Numerical Modeling for CO2 Utilization in Enhanced Oil Recovery and Associated Storage in Unconventional Reservoirs
Advisor: Kegang Ling

Jeffrey Scott Whitten
Lakewood, CA
Environmental Engineering
Dissertation: Pesticide Presence and Distribution in a Cold Region Agricultural Basin
Advisor: Taufique Mahmood

School of Graduate Studies: Doctoral Degrees

Nursing & Professional Disciplines
Maridee D. Shogren, Dean

Doctor of Nursing Practice

Jenna Carpenter
Cavalier, ND
Nursing Practice
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Advisor: Mary Jane Rivard

Sara Beth Severson
Plainview, MN
Nursing Practice
Advisor: Mary Jane Rivard

Doctor of Philosophy

Sydney Rae Johnson
Jamestown, ND
Nursing
Dissertation: The Wicked Problem of Moral Distress: Exploring the Experiences of Rural Clinic Nurses
Advisor: Rhoda Owens & Dawn Denny

Rebecca Mary D'Addosio Smith
Rochester, MN
Nursing
Dissertation: The Relationship Between Social Determinants of Health and Maternal Risk Factors With Severe Maternal Morbidity
Advisor: Dawn Denny

Medicine & Health Sciences
Marjorie R. Jenkins, Dean

Doctor of Philosophy

Savannah Brown
Grand Forks, ND
Clinical and Translational Science
Dissertation: Evaluation of Schlafen Family Proteins in Triple Negative Breast Cancer
Advisor: Scott Garrett

Dawn Wren Cleveland
Grand Forks, ND
Biomedical Sciences
Dissertation: Virulence of Emerging Tick-borne Pathogens, Borrelia miyamotoi and Borrelia mayonii
Advisor: Catherine Brissette

Md Ehsanul Haque
Grand Forks, ND
Clinical and Translational Science
Dissertation: Inorganic Arsenite [As (III)] Represses Human Renal Progenitor Cell Characteristics and Induces Neoplastic-like Transformation
Advisor: Scott Garrett & Don Sens

Jacob Otto Haugen
Grand Forks, ND
Biomedical Sciences
Dissertation: Characterization of Methylated Histone Modifications During Simian Virus 40 Early Transcription
Advisor: Barry Milavetz

Eloho Ighofose
Grand Forks, ND
Clinical and Translational Science
Dissertation: Cisplatin-Induced Nephrotoxicity and Adaptive Responses in Renal Progenitor Cells: Molecular Insights from Transcriptomic and Proteomic Analyses
Advisor: Seema Somji

Nelofar Nargis
Grand Forks, ND
Clinical and Translational Science
Dissertation: Investigating the Role of Keratin 6 and SOX2 in Regulating Growth, Stemness, Basal/Squamous Expression, and Chemotherapy Response in Muscle-Invasive Urothelial Carcinoma
Advisor: Don Sens

Va'atausili Theodore Tofaeono
Henderson, NV
Indigenous Health
Dissertation: Artificial Intelligence and Machine Learning Models to Increase Colorectal Cancer Detection for American Samoan Adults
Advisor: Shawnda Schroeder

Doctor of Physical Therapy

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Physical Therapy
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Doctor of Physical Therapy, *continued*

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School of Graduate Studies: Doctoral Degrees

Occupational Therapy Doctorate

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Occupational Therapy
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Occupational Therapy
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Occupational Therapy
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Allie Jo Reiffenberger
Grand Forks, ND
Occupational Therapy
Advisor: Nicole Harris

Shannon Ring
Williston, ND
Occupational Therapy
Advisor: Kelly Dornbier

Aubrey Jane Rude
Fargo, ND
Occupational Therapy
Advisor: Wanda Lauer

Payton Olivia Schilke
Fargo, ND
Occupational Therapy
Advisor: Kelly Dornbier

Alexis Smith
Fargo, ND
Occupational Therapy
Advisor: Sarah Nielsen

Grant Edwin Tolkkinen
Menahga, MN
Occupational Therapy
Advisor: Karrianna Iseminger

McKenzie Elizabeth Ulrich
Mandan, ND
Occupational Therapy
Advisor: Andrea Young

Emily Vieth
Belle Plaine, MN
Occupational Therapy
Advisor: Kelly Dornbier

Alexis Rose Walther
Bismarck, ND
Occupational Therapy
Advisor: Cindy Janssen

Kaitlyn Wanner
Bismarck, ND
Occupational Therapy
Advisor: Anne Haskins

Kate Lindsay Westphal
Au Train, MI
Occupational Therapy
Advisor: Karrianna Iseminger

Brooklyn Lori Wiest
West Fargo, ND
Occupational Therapy
Advisor: Mandy Meyer

Jordyn Marie Wolff
Casselton, ND
Occupational Therapy
Advisor: Breann Lamborn

School of Graduate Studies: Master's Degrees

Soojung Kim, Dean

Aerospace Sciences

Robert Kraus, Dean

Master of Environmental Management

Christine Grace Shapiro
Albuquerque, NM
Earth System Science & Policy

Master of Science

Danny Colantonio
Occoquan, VA
Space Studies

Robert Allyn Foley
Rochester, MN
Space Studies

Shannon Caitlin Forrey
Brooklyn, NY
Space Studies

Morgan Matthew Giuseponi
Grand Forks, ND
Space Studies

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Fargo, ND
Social Work

Rian Mackenzie Nashota Blacksmith
Fargo, ND
Social Work

Brittany June Brown
Dickinson, ND
Social Work

Alyssa Beth Evans
Horace, ND
Social Work

Ashley Nichole French
Midland, MI
Social Work

Anastasia Marie Glasser
Moorhead, MN
Social Work

Hannah A. Hovel
Aberdeen, SD
Social Work

Whitney Marie Irmen
Menoken, ND
Social Work

Dominique Jefferson
Fridley, MN
Social Work

Tiara Rianne Kammers
Virginia, MN
Social Work

Ryley Kristanne Kowalski
Morden, MB
Social Work

Yeva D. Mirzoyan
Eagan, MN
Social Work

Lacie Kay Marie Peet
Flushing, MI
Social Work

Mason Lee Schlief
Rochester, MN
Social Work

Kimberly Simpson
Mapleton, MN
Social Work

Jacob Svenby
West Fargo, ND
Social Work

Alysia Ann Taylor
Fargo, ND
Social Work

Jillian Leigh Westrum
Grand Forks, ND
Social Work

Chester Fritz Distinguished Professors & University Marshals

A UND faculty member, chosen from the ranks of the Chester Fritz Distinguished Professors, carries the University flag and leads the commencement procession.

Honorary Faculty Flag Marshal
Saturday, May 17 — 9 a.m.

Rachel L. Navarro
Professor of Counseling Psychology

Rachel L. Navarro, Ph.D., is a professor of Counseling Psychology in the College of Education & Human Development at the University of North Dakota. She has been a member of the faculty since 2010.

Prior to UND, Navarro held faculty positions at Teachers College, Columbia University and New Mexico State University. At UND, she has served as the training director of the American Psychological Association-accredited Counseling Psychology Ph.D. program, department chair, and associate dean of Research & Faculty Development.

Nationally, Navarro served as a Training Advisory Committee Member for the APA's Minority Fellowship Program; the President of the Council of Counseling Psychology Training Programs; the Vice President of Scientific Affairs for APA's Society of Counseling Psychology; and the Early Career Psychologist Representative for the National Latinx Psychological Association.

She currently serves as editor for the Journal of Career Development and as principal investigator and co-principal investigator for grants funded by the National Science Foundation, the Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration and the United States Department of Agriculture.

As a professor and researcher, she is committed to broadening the participation of underrepresented groups in science, technical, engineering and mathematics fields. As a licensed psychologist, she is dedicated to training healthcare providers and other allied health professionals in the provision of culturally sensitive and empirically supported practices as one strategy for reducing health disparities.

Navarro earned a B.A. in psychology and women's studies at the University of Wisconsin-Eau Claire, an M.S. in counseling at the University of Wisconsin-Madison and a Ph.D. in counseling psychology at the University of Missouri-Columbia.

Honorary Faculty Flag Marshal
Saturday, May 17 — 2 p.m.

Diane Darland
Professor of Biology

Diane Darland, Ph.D., is a professor of Biology in the College of Arts & Sciences at the University of North Dakota and has been a member of the department's faculty since 2005.

Darland previously served as a research fellow and later an investigator and instructor at Schepens Eye Research Institute and Harvard Medical School from 1998 to 2005.

Prior to her academic career, Darland graduated with a B.A. in biology from the University of California San Diego and worked for several years as a lab research technician at the Sanford Burnham Prebys Cancer Research Center in La Jolla, Calif.

In 1998, Darland earned her Ph.D. in cell and developmental biology from Oregon Health Sciences University.

She is a member of several professional groups, including the Society for Neuroscience, the North American Vascular Biology Organization, the Society for Developmental Biology, the National Center for Faculty Development and Diversity and the National Science Teaching Association.

Throughout her career, she has enjoyed learning and integrating new ideas from different disciplines. The overarching theme of her research addresses how vascular cells — the specialized cells that line the inner surface of blood vessels — and the cellular microenvironment can impact tissue formation and function during development and in disease states.

Honorary Faculty Flag Marshal
Saturday, May 17 — 2 p.m.

A. Rebecca Rozelle-Stone
Professor of Philosophy & Ethics

A. Rebecca Rozelle-Stone, Ph.D., is associate dean of curriculum in the College of Arts & Sciences and professor of Philosophy & Ethics at the University of North Dakota.

Rozelle-Stone — a leading scholar on 20th-century French philosopher Simone Weil — served as the president of the American Weil Society from 2014 to 2016 and has co-edited "The Relevance of the Radical: Simone Weil 100 Years Later;" co-authored "Simone Weil and Theology;" edited "Simone Weil and Continental Philosophy;" and most recently authored "A Very Short Introduction: Simone Weil."

Rozelle-Stone currently serves as a committee member on the board of the Society for Women of Ideas. Aside from Simone Weil, her research interests include phenomenology, feminism, the ethics of attention and the growing field of fatigue studies.

Rozelle-Stone earned her B.A. in philosophy at Birmingham-Southern College and her M.A. and Ph.D. in philosophy at Southern Illinois University Carbondale.

Chester Fritz Distinguished Professors

The Chester Fritz Distinguished Professorships were established with an endowment gift from the late UND benefactor Chester Fritz, 1892-1983. Revenue from the endowment provides for cash stipends to one or more full-time UND faculty members, who thereafter may use the title "Chester Fritz Distinguished Professor." Nominations are solicited from members of the Vice President for Academic Affairs Academic Cabinet and the Chester Fritz Distinguished Professors; these are evaluated by a committee chaired by the graduate dean and composed of three Chester Fritz Distinguished Professors and faculty representatives from each academic college not represented by a Fritz Professor. The recommendations are reviewed by the Vice President for Academic Affairs and forwarded to the President for final decision.

Chester Fritz attended UND from 1908 to 1910. He became an international trader in precious metals and lived most of his life in China and Europe. In establishing the endowment for the professorships — just one of his many gifts to UND — as an "investment in the future of my Alma Mater and of the people who make the future what it shall be." He added, "I am especially indebted to the fine teachers who, in the end, have determined in large measure, how well I was able to learn and to use the knowledge that the University of North Dakota could provide."

Chester Fritz Distinguished Professors currently serving on the faculty include:

Holly Brown-Borg, Biomedical Sciences
Sharon Carson, English
Colin Combs, Biomedical Sciences
Diane Darland, Biology
F. Richard Ferraro, Psychology
Jonathan Geiger, Biomedical Sciences
William D. Gosnold Jr., Geology & Geological Engineering
Birgit Hans, Indian Studies
Mark R. Hoffmann, Chemistry
Naima Kaabouch, Electrical Engineering & Computer Science
Alena Kubátová, Chemistry
Kent Lovelace, Aviation
Rachel L. Navarro, Counseling Psychology
Daphne Pedersen, Sociology
Thomas V. Petros, Psychology
A. Rebecca Rozelle-Stone, Philosophy & Ethics
Michelle Sauer, English
Wayne Seames, Chemical Engineering
Mary Ann Sens, Pathology
William F. Sheridan, Biology
Chih Ming Tan, Economics & Finance
Vasyl Tkach, Biology
Sean Valentine, Management
Roxanne Vaughan, Biomedical Sciences
Jack Weinstein, Philosophy & Religion
Michael Wittgraf, Music
Julia Zhao, Chemistry

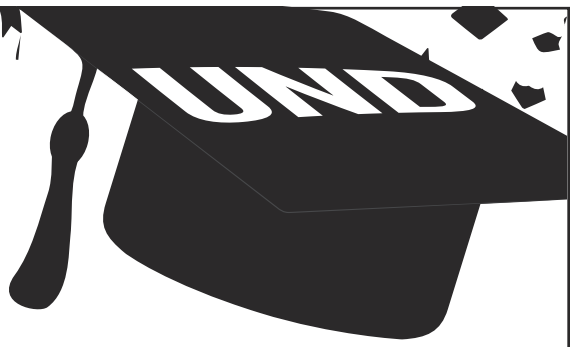
Former faculty members who were honored with Fritz Professorships include:

Michael A. Anderegg, English
James Antes, Psychology
Michael C. Beard, English
Robert Beck (deceased), Law
Richard Beringer (deceased), History
William V. Borden (deceased), English
Edward C. Carlson, Anatomy & Cell Biology
William E. Cornatzer (deceased), Biochemistry & Molecular Biology
Richard D. Crawford, Biology
Kenneth J. Dawes, Social Work
Sandra Donaldson, English
Manuchair Ebadi (deceased), Pharmacology, Physiology & Therapeutics, and Clinical Neuroscience
Ronald C. Engle, Theatre Arts
Albert J. Fivizzani (deceased), Biology
Mary Lou S. Fuller, Elementary Education
Michael J. Gaffey, Space Studies
Elizabeth Hampsten, English
Joseph Hartman, Geology & Geological Engineering
David Hein, Pharmacology & Toxicology
Thomasine Heitkamp, Nursing
Carla Wulff Hess (deceased), Communication Sciences & Disorders
Richard L. Hill (deceased), Educational Administration
Gordon Iseminger, History
Warren Jensen, Aviation
Cindy L. Juntunen, Counseling Psychology
Harvey Knull, Biochemistry & Molecular Biology
David O. Lambeth, Biochemistry & Molecular Biology
Richard G. Landry (deceased), Educational Measurements & Statistics
Diane K. Langemo, Nursing Practice & Development
Donald K. Lemon (deceased), Educational Leadership
Robert W. Lewis (deceased), English
Steven Light, Political Science & Public Administration
Glenda Lindseth, Nursing
Frank Low (deceased), Anatomy
Richard L. Ludtke, Sociology
James Mochoruk, History
Michael Mann, Chemical Engineering
Roger Melvold (deceased), Microbiology & Immunology
James E. Mitchell, Neuroscience
Thomas Mohr, Physical Therapy
Robert C. Nordlie (deceased), Biochemistry & Molecular Biology
Myrna R. Olson, Teaching & Learning
Lewis K. Oring, Biology
Leon F. Osborne (deceased), Atmospheric Sciences
Surendra S. Parmar, Physiology
Brian O. Paulsen, Art
Russell Peterson (deceased), Education
Michael Poellot, Atmospheric Sciences
Lewis J. Radonovich, Chemistry
Kathryn Rand, School of Law
Paul D. Ray (deceased), Biochemistry & Molecular Biology
John L. Rowe (deceased), Business & Vocational Education
Isaac Schlosser, Biology
Mary Jane Schneider (deceased), Indian Studies
Santhosh K. Seelan, Space Studies
Donald E. Severson (deceased), Chemical Engineering
Brij Singh, Basic Sciences
Virgil Stenberg, Chemistry
Jeffrey L. Stith, Atmospheric Sciences
Kathleen A. Tiemann, Sociology
D. Jerome Tweton (deceased), History
Stephen K. Wikel, Microbiology & Immunology
Sharon C. Wilsnack, Neuroscience
Stephen A. Wonderlich, Clinical Neuroscience
Charles A. Wood, Space Studies
Kevin D. Young, Microbiology & Immunology

University Student Marshals

A tradition since the early years of the University of North Dakota, students serve as the honorary marshals and ushers for commencement exercises.

Ishir Agarwal
Abdi Asma
Jonathan Blankenship
Rhea Mae Buensalido
Dana Chahal
Herbert Che Mughe
Paige Davidson
Tyler Drees
Sam Faul
Bryn Hanson
Alexandra Johnson
Monique Jones
Maleina Joubert
Sarah Kempel
Isabelle Kimball
Graham Kitchin
Jenice Lynch
Ethan Mathews
McKenzie Menschel
Michael Mickey
Khadeejah Narego
Trina Neugebauer
Eugene Oga
Emily Oja
Tucker Orner
Isabelle Paro
Rani Patel
Lauryn Perry
Jay Sankhla
Aubrey Schaffer
Paige Schumacher
Lorraine Toumou
Morgan Uhlir
Melissa Valencia
Oliver van Tiel



Plans After Graduation & Experiences Survey

Each semester, a survey is sent to new graduates asking them to reflect on their time at UND and to share post-graduation plans.

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Commencement Speaker

Jim Kleinsasser

Jim Kleinsasser is a former professional football player for the Minnesota Vikings and a 2025 inductee into the National Football Foundation & College Hall of Fame.

Originally from Carrington, N.D., Kleinsasser studied finance and played football and basketball during his time at UND.

At the position of tight end for North Dakota Football, Kleinsasser was a three-time first-team All-North Central Conference pick and a two-time first-team All-American. He helped UND's football program to a record of 32-10 over four seasons and was a letterwinner in both football and basketball.

Selected 44th overall by the Vikings in the second round in the 1999 NFL Draft, Kleinsasser played all 13 seasons of his professional career in Minnesota. He retired in 2012.

A longtime supporter of UND student-athletes, Kleinsasser and his wife, Christa, were also heavily involved with the Make-A-Wish Foundation of Minnesota during his time with the Vikings. Through the foundation, they met with children and their families, helped with seasonal fundraisers and worked on the planning process for the organization's annual gala. Kleinsasser also served on its board of directors.

After retiring from the NFL, Kleinsasser's focus went to his two sons, Carter and Cayden, and toward volunteering as a coach for youth sports. He felt blessed to have many incredible coaches throughout his career and has endeavored to be a positive influence on today's young people. Kleinsasser currently coaches football and basketball for Westonka High School in Mound, Minn.

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Noren Pan

Noren Pan is the co-founder and president of MicroLink Devices and a 1982 graduate of the University of North Dakota.

Pan, originally from Cambodia, came to the United States with his mother and siblings in 1974. At the time, the Cambodian government was supported by the U.S.; but in 1975, the government collapsed after a years-long civil war. With the ending of the Vietnam War around the same time, both Vietnam and Cambodia fell under the rule of communist regimes.

UND's president at the time, Tom Clifford, knew Pan's father, Dr. Sothi Pan, who was the Secretary of Education for Cambodia prior to the communist takeover. Through President Clifford's generosity, Pan's family was invited to settle in Grand Forks in August 1975. The University and President Clifford provided a scholarship to Pan's mother to obtain a Master of Science in Computer Science, and she later worked at Minnkota Power as an electrical engineer.

Pan spent seven years in Grand Forks studying at Grand Forks Central High School and UND. He graduated from UND with a degree in Electrical Engineering.

Since its founding in 2000, MicroLink Devices has been a leader in the development and manufacture of semiconductor devices including lightweight, flexible, and highly efficient solar panel technologies and critical components used in cell phones and other wireless devices. Throughout Pan's career, his research and development expertise has led to the development of novel processes and device structures for improvements in microwave and solar cell device performance.

His current work centers on the advancement of high efficiency solar cells for use on uncrewed aerial vehicles. In 2022, Pan's solar cell technology enabled an Airbus Zephyr UAV to fly in the stratosphere for 64 consecutive days without landing. Pan has visited UND many times over the past few years, having helped the University establish and host the yearly Stratospheric Operations and Research Symposium that gathers leaders in stratospheric platforms and technologies to discuss recent progress and future directions of the emerging industry.

Prior to co-founding MicroLink Devices, Pan served as a senior scientist at Raytheon Research from 1988 to 1995 and as chief scientist at Kopin Corporation from 1995 to 2000. In these roles, he led the development of innovative transistors for cell phone applications, which in turn led to transistor production programs established at industry-leading companies such as Skyworks, TriQuint, Anadigics, Mitsubishi Electric, Toshiba, Raytheon and Northrop Grumman, among others. Yearly revenue from such programs peaked at $80 million in 2000, as Pan left Kopin to start MicroLink Devices.

Prior to studying Electrical Engineering at UND, Pan graduated from Grand Forks Central High School in 1978. Following his time at UND from 1978 to1982, he earned his Ph.D. in 1988 from the University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, studying semiconductors. He has published more than 70 research papers throughout his career.

Pan is a senior member of the Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers, the world's largest technical professional organization dedicated to advancing technology for the benefit of humanity. He was inducted into the Chicago Entrepreneurial Hall of Fame in 2007.

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Honorary Degrees Awarded

Honorary degrees have long been awarded by institutions of higher learning to recognize lives of achievement. In 1909 UND presented its first honorary degree, a Doctor of Laws, to Webster Merrifield, who served the University for 25 years, including 18 as its third president.

Honorary degrees from UND particularly recognize those with an association with the University or with the state and region.

1909,Webster Merrifield, Doctor of Laws
1913,Roger W. Cooley, Master of Laws
1914,E.M. Babcock, Doctor of Science
1916, Homer B. Sprague, Doctor of Laws
1918, Joseph P. Kennedy, Doctor of Laws
1922,John Lee Coulter, Doctor of Laws
1925,F.P. Robertson, Doctor of Laws
1928,Howard Huston, Master of Arts
1929, Thomas D. Campbell, Doctor of Laws
1930,Guy C.H. Corliss, Doctor of Laws
1930,Vilhjalmur Stefanssen, Doctor of Laws
1931,Maxwell Upson, Doctor of Engineering
1932,John M. Hancock, Doctor of Laws
1933,Thomas F. Kane, Doctor of Laws
1933,John F. Douglas, Doctor of Laws
1934,J.F.T. O'Connor, Doctor of Laws
1935,Frederick Koch, Doctor of Letters
1936,John Burke, Doctor of Laws
1937,Sveinbjorn Johnson, Doctor of Laws
1938, A.G. Burr, Doctor of Laws
1938,Vincent J. Ryan, Doctor of Laws
1938,C.J. Hambro, Doctor of Laws
1939,Gudmundur Grimson, Doctor of Laws
1939, Crown Prince Olav of Norway, Doctor of Laws
1941,John W. Dafoe, Doctor of Laws
1941,Clarence Daniel O'Connor, Doctor of Humanities
1943,John O. Christianson, Doctor of Science
1943,Walter L. Stockwell, Doctor of Laws
1943,John Alister Hutcheson, Doctor of Science
1944,Sigureir Sigurdsson, Doctor of Humanities
1944,Boyd Milne Begg, Doctor of Science
1944,George Addison Talbert, Doctor of Science
1945,Edward Francis Flynn, Doctor of Laws
1945,Barend Herman Kroeze, Doctor of Humanities
1946,Elwyn Francis Chandler, Doctor of Science
1946,David Rhys Jenkins, Doctor of Science
1946,Elmer Ellis, Doctor of Laws
1947,Melvin A. Brannon, Doctor of Science
1947,Raymond A. Heising, Doctor of Science
1947,George Albert Selke, Doctor of Laws
1948,Adolph Marcus Christianson, Docctor of Laws
1948,John S. Lundy, Doctor of Science
1948,William L. Nuessle, Doctor of Laws
1948, Ezra Thayer Towne, Doctor of Humanities
1948,Luther Earle Birdzell, Doctor of Laws
1948,Harley F. French, Doctor of Science
1949, Franklin Jerome Lunding, Doctor of Laws
1949, John Morris Gillette, Doctor of Humanities
1949,Charles John Breitwieser, Doctor of Science
1949,Lawrence Vold, Doctor of Laws
1950,Alfred G. Arvold, Doctor of Humanities
1950,Charles J. Murphy, Doctor of Laws
1951,M. Beatrice Johnstone, Doctor of Humanities
1951,Chester E. Fritz, Doctor of Laws
1951,Edward H. McDermott, Doctor of Laws
1951,George A. Abbott, Doctor of Laws
1951,Juan Mendoza Rodriquez, Doctor of Laws
1952,Homer N. Wallin, Doctor of Science
1952,Daniel F. Bull, Doctor of Communication Sciences
1952,Edmund O. Belsheim, Doctor of Laws
1953,A. Hoyt Taylor, Doctor of Science
1953,Fred J. Traynor, Doctor of Laws
1954,Theodore H. Fenske, Doctor of Science
1954,Arno Carl Fieldner, Doctor of Science
1954,Alfred Jacobsen, Doctor of Science
1954,Luther W. Youngdahl, Doctor of Laws
1955,John C. Baker, Doctor of Laws
1956,Robert D. Campbell, Doctor of Laws
1956,Harlan Henthorns Hatcher, Doctor of Laws
1956,John Chester West, Doctor of Humanities
1957,Richard Simpson Watson, Doctor of Laws
1958,Richard Blackburn Black, Doctor of Science
1958,Charles W. Boise, Doctor of Science
1958,Olger B. Burtness, Doctor of Laws
1958,Min Hin Li, Doctor of Humanities
1958,Russell Reid, Doctor of Humanities
1958,James Duane Squires, Doctor of Laws
1958,Henry G. Lykken, Doctor of Engineering
1958, Hermann Hegedorn, Doctor of Humanities
1958,Jerome Hall, Doctor of Laws
1958,J. Maxwell Anderson, Doctor of Humanities
1958,Edgar Dale, Doctor of Humanities
1958,Rudolph J. Gielsness, Doctor of Laws
1958,Cushman D. Haagensen, Doctor of Science
1958,Grover Holt, Doctor of Engineering
1958,Grayson L. Kirk, Doctor of Humanities
1958,George A. Lundberg, Doctor of Laws
1958,Herbert G. Nilles, Doctor of Laws
1958,Edward K. Thompson, Doctor of Humanities
1958,Neal A. Weber, Doctor of Science
1958,J. Frederick Weltzin, Doctor of Humanities
1958,Philip W. West, Doctor of Science
1958,Waldemar Westergaard, Doctor of Laws
1958,Paul Yoder, Doctor of Music
1959, Alexander Grow Budge, Doctor of Laws
1959, Thomas E. Whelan, Doctor of Laws
1959,Charles E. Scott, Doctor of Humanities
1960,Elmo B. Roper, Doctor of Humanities
1960,James H. Douglas, Doctor of Laws
1961,Ronald N. Davies, Doctor of Laws
1962,Fred George Aandahl, Doctor of Laws
1962,Thomas Joseph Burke, Doctor of Laws
1962, O.H. Thormodsgard, Doctor of Laws
1962,James Morris, Doctor of Laws
1963,Harold D. Shaft, Doctor of Laws
1963,Owen Meredith Wilson, Doctor of Laws
1963,John Fitzgerald Kennedy, Doctor of Laws
1965,Edward J. Devitt, Doctor of Laws
1965,Bertin C. Gamble, Doctor of Laws
1965,Orin Alva Stevens, Doctor of Science
1965,Thomas C. Barger, Doctor of Laws
1966,Robert E. Bradley, Doctor of Engineering
1966,Herbert Victor Prochnow, Doctor of Laws
1966,Robert E. Slaughter, Doctor of Laws
1967,David E. Bell, Doctor of Laws
1967,Leonard W. Larson, Doctor of Laws
1967,Joseph C. Allen, Doctor of Engineering
1968,Robert H. Bahmer, Doctor of Laws
1968,Malcolm Moos, Doctor of Laws
1969,Era Bell Thompson, Doctor of Humane Letters
1969,Arthur Naftalin, Doctor of Laws
1969,Richard Beck, Doctor of Literature
1970,Eric Sevareid, Doctor of Laws
1970,James L. Elder, Doctor of Engineering
1970,Harry H. Ransom, Doctor of Literature
1970,Warren J. Hanna, Doctor of Laws
1970,George C. Wheeler, Doctor of Laws
1971,B. Fred Davidson, Doctor of Laws
1971,William A. Franta, Doctor of Engineering
1973, Christopher J. Hamre, Doctor of Science
1973,Frank Edward Stinchfield, Doctor of Science
1975,George W. Starcher, Doctor of Laws
1976,Thomas S. Kleppe, Doctor of Laws
1978,E.A. Haunz, Doctor of Science
1978,Carlton A. Pederson, Doctor of Laws
1979,W.E. Koenker, Doctor of Laws
1981,Mary Jean Mannes, Bachelor of Laws
1981,Thomas McGrath, Doctor of Literature
1982, Anne H. Carlsen, Doctor of Humanities
1982,Warren Christopher, Doctor of Laws
1983,Mortimer J. Adler, Doctor of Humane Letters
1983,Frank N. Low, Doctor of Science
1983,Fred L. Snyder, Doctor of Science
1984,Wilson M. Laird, Doctor of Science
1986,James E. Olson, Doctor of Laws
1986,James F. Seifert, Doctor of Laws
1986,Owen W. Webster, Doctor of Science
1987,Duane B. Haagenson, Doctor of Engineering
1987,Lois Phillips Hudson, Doctor of Letters
1988,Merlin E. Dewing, Doctor of Laws
1989,Weston R. Christopherson, Doctor of Laws
1989,Agnes Geelan, Doctor of Humane Letters
1989,Arley Bjella, Doctor of Laws
1989,Bernard P. Randolph, Doctor of Engineering
1990,Michael E. DeBakey, Doctor of Science
1990,Robert E. Mautz, Doctor of Laws
1990,Bruce McArthur, Doctor of Engineering
1990,Frank A. Wenstrom, Doctor of Laws
1991,Andrew Freeman, Doctor of Engineering
1991,Lee Gerdine, Doctor of Music
1991,Donald Grangaard, Doctor of Laws
1991,Lowell Swenson, Doctor of Laws
1991,Harold Schafer, Doctor of Laws
1992,William E. Cornatzer, Doctor of Science
1992,Margaret Heyse Cory, Doctor of Science
1992,Richard J. Lee, Doctor of Science
1992,Vivian Hanson Meehan, Doctor of Science
1992,Harold Resinger, Doctor of Science
1992,Louis W. Sullivan, Doctor of Science
1993,Thomas M. Hamilton, Doctor of Engineering
1993,Bill Martin Jr., Doctor of Letters
1993,Stanley A. Moe, Doctor of Engineering
1993,Everette L. Webb, Doctor of Engineering
1993,Gilmore Schjeldahl, Doctor of Engineering
1994,James F. Buchli, Doctor of Science
1994,Jon Hassler, Doctor of Letters
1996,Roland H. Flint, Doctor of Letters
1996,George A. Sinner, Doctor of Laws
1996,John W. Vennes, Doctor of Science
1997,Jim R. Carrigan, Doctor of Laws
1997,Clara A. Pederson, Doctor of Humane Letters
1998,Theodore V. Galambos, Doctor of Engineering
1998,Patricia Wallace Ingraham, Doctor of Laws
1998,Arthur A. Link, Doctor of Laws
1998,Vito Perrone, Doctor of Humanities
1999,Eugene R. Dahl, Doctor of Laws
1999,John C. MacFarlane, Doctor of Engineering
1999,Dale F. Morrison, Doctor of Laws
2000,Thomas J. Clifford, Doctor of Laws
2000,Bernard O'Kelly, Doctor of Letters
2000,Dwight Baumann, Doctor of Laws
2001,Richard A. Olafson, Doctor of Letters
2001,Patricia A. Owens, Doctor of Letters
2001,Raymond Rude, Doctor of Letters
2001,Peter Schickele, Doctor of Letters
2002, Calvin K. Fercho, Doctor of Letters
2002,Lloyd Omdahl, Doctor of Letters
2002,Noel Watson, Doctor of Letters
2002,Byron L. Dorgan, Doctor of Letters
2003,Robert Kyle, Doctor of Letters
2004,Kurt H. Mueller, Doctor of Letters
2005,H.F. "Sparky" Gierke, Doctor of Letters
2005,Charles "Chuck" Johnson, Doctor of Letters
2006,A. Bart Holaday, Doctor of Letters
2006,Lance W. Lord, Doctor of Letters
2006,Rodney J. Rohrich, Doctor of Letters
2007,Laurel Reuter, Doctor of Letters
2007,Russell Lefevre, Doctor of Letters
2008,Jean Kiesau, Doctor of Letters
2008,Edward Schafer, Doctor of Letters
2008,Steinar Opstad, Doctor of Letters
2008,Phil Jackson, Doctor of Letters
2008,William Marcil, Doctor of Letters
2009,Edwin Benson, Doctor of Letters
2009,LaVonne Russell Hootman, Doctor of Letters
2009,James C. Ray, Doctor of Letters
2010,Howard A. Dahl, Doctor of Letters
2011,Earl Pomeroy, Doctor of Letters
2011, Kenneth L. Mellem, Doctor of Letters
2012,B. John Barry, Doctor of Letters
2012,Kent Conrad, Doctor of Letters
2012,Mary Wakefield, Doctor of Letters
2012,David Nething, Doctor of Letters
2012, Hiram Drache, Doctor of Letters
2013,Norman C. Skalicky, Doctor of Letters
2014, Michael J. Jacobs, Doctor of Letters
2014,William C. Sherman, Doctor of Letters
2014,Karen L. Nyberg, Doctor of Letters
2014,Linda M. Pancratz, Doctor of Letters
2015,William J. Gross, Doctor of Letters
2015, Gerald W. VandeWalle, Doctor of Letters
2016,Carolyn Becraft, Doctor of Letters
2016,Greg Page, Doctor of Letters
2018,Si Robin, Doctor of Letters
2018,Betty Robin, Doctor of Letters
2019,Josh Duhamel, Doctor of Letters
2019,Heidi Heitkamp, Doctor of Letters
2019,Clay Lacy, Doctor of Letters
2020,Harold Hamm, Doctor of Letters
2021,Henry Herr, Doctor of Letters
2022,Molly Yeh, Doctor of Letters
2022,Delore Zimmerman, Doctor of Letters
2023,Werner G. Nistler Jr., Doctor of Letters
2024,Denise Flanagan, Doctor of Letters
2024,Chuck Klosterman, Doctor of Letters
2024,Lynn Luckow, Doctor of Letters
2024,Bob Mau, Doctor of Letters
2025,Noren Pan, Doctor of Letters

Student Honor Medallions

Honor Medallions are earned by candidates for the bachelor's degree who have at least 50 graded hours from the University of North Dakota and achieve a scholastic average of 3.50 (cum laude), 3.70 (magna cum laude), and 3.90 (summa cum laude) in courses completed at the University of North Dakota. For the purpose of the commencement program and publication, honors are based on the UND grade point average at the end of the previously completed term. Once final semester grades are recorded and the degree has been cleared by the college, grade point averages are recalculated and final graduation honors are recorded to the transcript and diploma.

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Whether the individual is the first or last to receive a degree in the graduation ceremony, the conferring of that degree is a very special event for every graduate and family. To this end, it is requested that everyone remain seated until the conclusion of the commencement ceremony.

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The Mace of the University

The ceremonial mace was first a practical weapon intended to protect the king and borne by the Sergeants-at-Arms, a royal bodyguard. The history of the civic mace begins about the middle of the 13th century. Since about the 15th century, universities have displayed a mace as a symbol of both internal authority and the independence of the scholarly tradition.

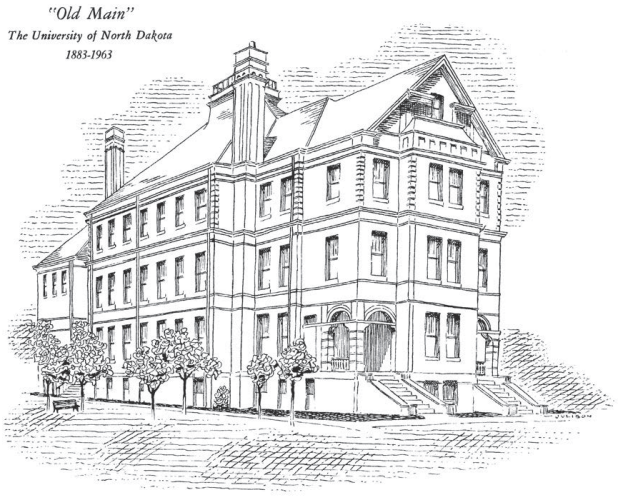
The mace of the University of North Dakota came into being at the direction of George W. Starcher, president from 1954 to 1971. In 1963 he approached Alvin Rudisill, chairman of the Industrial Arts Department, with the idea of creating a mace with materials from "Old Main," UND's first building. Condemned for decades for its severe structural deficiencies, Old Main was being demolished as administrative offices had moved to the newly completed Twamley Hall.

Rudisill turned to one of his students, Dennis Kulas, who was also pursuing a minor in art. Kulas crafted a mace in wood and then a second, when some thought the first might be too heavy for ceremonial use. The first one is the mace that has been carried at the front of all commencement ceremonies since.

Kulas explained the artistic ideas he incorporated into his design:

> "The theme used for making the mace was like a drop of water falling into a body of water, its effects sending out ripples throughout the water. Likewise, a little learning affects everyone by sending out knowledge to all four corners of the Earth, hence the design. The globe: symbolizing the Earth. The rings: symbolizing a drop of knowledge ever spreading throughout the Earth. The four spikes: emphasizing the four corners of the Earth."

The second mace used the same theme, but the globe was hollowed out to make it lighter by using recessed rings.



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We acknowledge the people who resided here for generations and recognize that the spirit of the Ojibwe and Oyate people permeates this land. As a university community, we will continue to build upon our relations with the First Nations of the State of North Dakota - the Mandan, Hidatsa, and Arikara Nation, Sisseton-Wahpeton Oyate Nation, Spirit Lake Nation, Standing Rock Sioux Tribe, and Turtle Mountain Band of Chippewa Indians.

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Carsen R. Grave ***
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Jonna M. Gunnarson
Utica, MN
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Isabel V. Haberman
Coon Rapids, MN
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Lucille Christine Hagen *
Ayr, ND
Communication Sciences & Disorders

Ryan Hanlon ***
Chanhassen, MN
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Lily Helland
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Zachary Justin Hinschberger
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Maret Holm **
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Brenden Kimpe *
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Courtney Litzinger **
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Cassidy Jade Mack
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Julianne McPartland *
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Minto, ND
Communication

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Bryghton Leigh Peltier
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Samuel Quinn Peterson
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Grace Caroline Pfennig *
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Psychology

Sami Pidde ***
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Tori Ploof **
Minot, ND
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Classical Studies

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Psychology

Sara Jean Titera
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English
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Graphic Design

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General Studies

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Isanti, MN
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White Bear Lake, MN
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Rebecca Michelle Kowalski
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Rosemount, MN
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General Studies

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Bachelor of Music

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Langdon, ND
Music Performance

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Music Performance

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Blaine, MN
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Physics

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Psychology

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Psychology

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Underwood, ND
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Brooke Avalon Isaacson
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Psychology

Jonah Johannes *
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Geography
Environmental Studies

Erin Elizabeth Johnson ***
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Psychology

Mary Johnson **
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Psychology

Matthew Johnson *
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Mathematics

Katie Joten **
Kaukauna, WI
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Biology / Professional Health
Chemistry

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Emma Ann Kilian **
Grand Forks, ND
Psychology

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Burlington, ND
Psychology

Samuel Jose Kroening
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Mathematics

Ellayna Juliona LaFond **
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Biology

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Brenna Lund **
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Evan James Lunsetter **
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Cruz Reed Megazzini *
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Grace I. Miller **
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Watford City, ND
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Sheridan, WY
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Boardman, OR
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Park River, ND
Mathematics

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Grand Forks, ND
Biology

Katarina Trone
Walla Walla, WA
Mathematics

Logan Jon Vacura **
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Gully, MN
Biology / Professional Health

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Moorhead, MM
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Casselton, ND
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Chemistry

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Aneta, ND
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Criminal Justice Studies

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Criminal Justice Studies

Mia Stish
Hibbing, MN
Criminal Justice Studies

Kaden T. Vanyo
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Criminal Justice Studies

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Fisheries & Wildlife Biology

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Fisheries & Wildlife Biology

Zachary Fitzner
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Fisheries & Wildlife Biology

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Fisheries & Wildlife Biology

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Middle River, MN
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Lydia Elaine Wilson ***
Ham Lake, MN
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Graduates in the Honors Program

Merie Kirby, Honors Program Director

The following students have fulfilled the objectives of the University of North Dakota's Honors Program, a program designed to broaden and enrich the undergraduate curriculum. A substantial segment of their University training has been pursued in Honors courses, tutorials, and colloquia, and they have engaged in independent research.

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Alyson Bosch
Erik Lee Bristow
Hannah Casey
Jackson Chase-Jacobus
Maggie Jane Dervis
William Grant Duffy
Haley Marie Duncan
Charlotte Leigh Fuller
Ryan Michael Grothman
Faith Marie Hallem
Grace Louise Hawkinson
Madison Gail Jones
Laila Lashanda Kantarevic
Katherine M. Kempel
Kate Kesler
Cassie M. Longnecker
Matthew Wesbern Lord
Evan James Lunsetter
David Carter Manzke
Janae Phillips Phillips
Hannah Prody
MacKenzie Rick-Moores
Lance Roadifer
Karl H. Schafsteller
BayLee L. Schlothauer
Augustas Mindaugas Senuta
Jacob Mitchell Stanley
Chase Christian Steinbach
Sierra Ann Thomson
Mckenzie Tindall
Josephine Agnes Waltman
Lucas Kenneth Weigel

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Professor of Aerospace Science

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Remotely Piloted Aircraft
Darby Kent Anderson
Remotely Piloted Aircraft
Dylan Randolph Baker
Developmental Engineer
Andres Ernesto Freeberg
Pilot Trainee
Benjamin Mathew Kakac
Pilot Trainee
Brett Schunzel
Pilot Trainee
Timothy G. Travis
Pilot Trainee
Brendan Tuman
Missileer
Lydia Elaine Wilson
Intelligence Officer

Major Jared Budenski
Professor of Military Science

Commission as Second Lieutenant United States Army

Priscilla Abayare Adu
Reserve/Transportation
Cierra Delzer
Active Duty/Nurse Corps
Gabriel Marie Dryden
North Dakota National Guard/ Adjutant General
Maxim Mario Ficarella
New York National Guard/Infantry
Benjamin Jacobs
Colorado National Guard/Medical Service
John T. Novack
Minnesota National Guard/ Quartermaster
Christian Schuster
Active Duty/Infantry
Tristan M. Severance
North Dakota National Guard/ Engineering
Anna Teresa Tesar
North Dakota National Guard/ Ordnance

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Science Lab

Ground Breaking Ceremony

With help from more than 150,000 proud alumni, UND's traditions have endured for more than a century. Our history is colorful and diverse. From educators to political leaders and astronauts, our alumni credit UND for their successes. Here are some facts:

- UND was founded in 1883 by the Dakota Territorial Assembly — six years before North Dakota became a state.
- The cornerstone for Old Main — UND's first building and where the Eternal Flame in the Old Main Memorial Plaza now stands — was laid in the fall of 1883.
- As part of its evolution into a full-fledged, multi-purpose University, UND added research and the instruction of graduate students (the first master's degree was awarded in 1895) before the end of the 19th century.
- Four faculty members met the 11 students who entered the University on opening day, September 8, 1884.
- Three U.S. Presidents have visited campus: Franklin D. Roosevelt, John F. Kennedy, and Ronald Reagan.
- The first class of eight students graduated on June 13, 1889.
- Unlike most state institutions of higher education west of the Mississippi, UND did not begin as an agricultural school or as a teachers college. It was organized initially as a College of Arts & Sciences, with a Normal School for the education of teachers.

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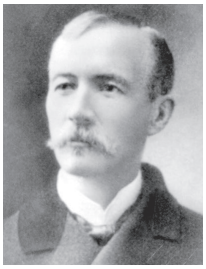
William M. Blackburn
1884 — 1885



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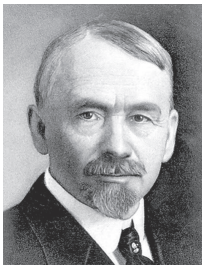
1885 — 1887 (Acting)

Homer B. Sprague
1887 — 1891



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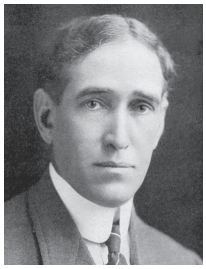


Frank L. McVey
1909 — 1917

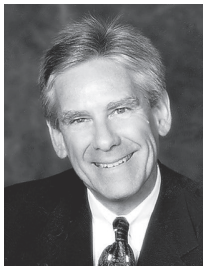
Earle J. Babcock
1917 — 1918 (Interim)

Thomas F. Kane
1918 — 1933

John C. West
1933 — 1954

George W. Starcher
1954 — 1971

Thomas J. Clifford
1971 — 1992



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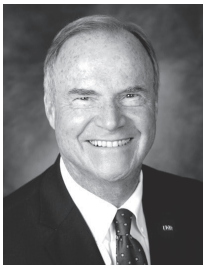
1992 — 1999

Charles E. Kupchella
1999 — 2008



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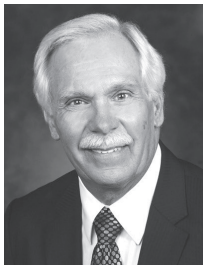
2008 — 2016



Edward T. Schafer
2016 (Interim)

Mark R. Kennedy
2016 — 2019

Joshua Wynne
2019 — 2020 (Interim)

Andrew Armacost
2020 — present

The First Commencement

The following is excerpted from University of the Northern Plains, *the history of the University of North Dakota written by Louis G. Geiger and published in 1958 as part of the University's 75th anniversary celebration.*

A major milestone in student affairs, as well as in the University's history, was the graduation of the first college class in 1889. A faculty committee was appointed in February to plan the exercises. In April the student body met and chose the school colors, the pink and green of the prairie rose, "suggestive of our green prairies and rosy prospects." On June 13, a cool, fair day, the ceremony began at ten o'clock in the University assembly hall, which had been decorated with flags and flowers and a large "89" centerpiece. A capacity crowd of students and spectators (perhaps as many as 250) was on hand as the graduates — "the ladies ... dressed in white" and "the gentlemen ... neatly attired" — marched to their places on the stage to the accompaniment of music by *[W. W.]* Hall's Cadet Band. Special guests were the Regents, H. M. Mellette, governor of the Territory, several other territorial officials *[North Dakota did not attain statehood until November 2, 1889]*, and Nehemiah Ordway, who as governor had signed the organic act of the University. [President Homer B.] Sprague presided and introduced the speakers. Mellette observed that it was a "Red River letter day." Ordway spoke with pride and feeling on the University's founding. One of the Regents relieved the occasion with a touch of unconscious humor when he explained: "As to the faculty we have done the best we could with the money at hand." Following the official commemoration of the occasion, the main part of the program began; there were essays and orations presented by each of the eight graduates, six from the college and two from the four-year normal course; Frances M. Allen (B.A.), Clinton S. DeGroat (B.S.), Ben E. Ingwaldson (B.S.), Cora Smith (B.S.), Marie Teel (B.S.), May Travis (B.A.), and Genevieve Arnold and Irene Mares (normal certificates). The orations, on current as well as literary and moral subjects, were printed in full in the Grand Forks newspapers.

The University of North Dakota graduated its first class on June 13, 1889. Seated: Frances M. Allen, B.A.; May Travis, B.A.; Genevieve Arnold, Normal Certificate; and Marie Teel, B.S. Standing: Irene Mares, Normal Certificate; Clinton S. DeGroat, B.S.; Cora Smith, B.S., and Ben E. Ingwaldson, B.S.

The Main Building and Ladies' Hall (later Davis Hall)

Three of the college graduates were from Grand Forks; none had come from farther than Hillsboro. Not one had been born in North Dakota; Ben Ingwaldson had been born in Norway. In the class of 1890, of seven college graduates, four were from Grand Forks, three were women, and six took the science degree. A considerable proportion of the early graduates entered medicine, law, or teaching. Cora Smith, a member of the first class, took a degree in medicine at Boston University; Mary Crans of the second class completed the course in dentistry at the University of Michigan. Ben Ingwaldson went on to the University of Minnesota law school. North Dakota's first appointee to West Point, Joseph Travis, graduated in the class of 1890.

Congratulations and Best Wishes

The University of North Dakota is proud to recognize the accomplishments of its graduates and to extend best wishes to them, their families and loved ones.

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